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Levy will not hike taxes for Texico School District

Here is an important message from Texico School Supt. Miles Mitchell:
On Feb. 5, two school election items will be voted on at the Texico Community Center from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

One is for two Texico School Board members. Incumbents Justin Barnes and Duwain Hill are unopposed.

Also on the ballot will be a 2-mill levy question, which requires a yes or no vote.

If the 2-mill levy passes, it will NOT increase taxes for local residents. It is just a continuation of a tax that already has been in place for many years.

The 2-mill levy is a .002 cent tax on the assessed value of your property. For example, a home valued at \$100,000 would make the tax \$66 a year. Similarly, a \$50,000 home would only pay \$33 a year.

Again, this is not a new tax, but a continuation of a current property tax code. If this 2-mill levy is approved by the voters, as it has been over the years, there are several benefits to Texico Schools:

1. Funds must be spent on purchasing equipment and technology, erecting, remodeling, making additions to, furnishing school buildings, maintenance, purchase of property, upkeep of school grounds, repairs to buildings and purchasing vehicles for student activity transportation.
2. Funds CANNOT be spent on salaries, administration, or administrative

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County approves reinvestment zone

The Parmer County Commissioners Court on Monday unanimously approved designation of the Northeast area of Parmer County as a "reinvestment zone," a prerequisite to granting tax abatements to Mariah Northwest.

The highlights of the pact, which already has been agreed to by the developer, include:

-- The owner will construct a minimum of 120 megawatts with an anticipated capacity of about 200 megawatts in the zone. Improvements will have an initial market value of about \$300 million.

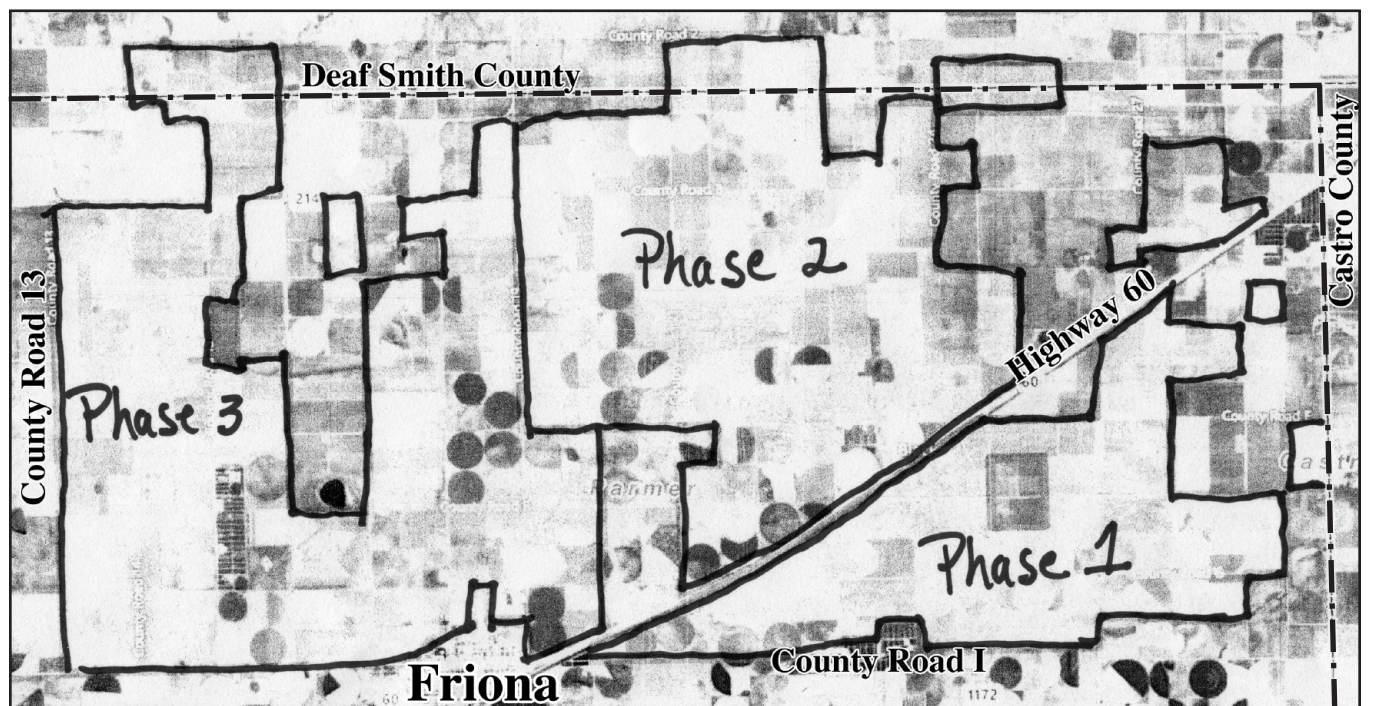
-- Starting in 2015, the owner will receive the following tax abatements: years 1 through 5, 100 percent; year 6, 90 percent; year 7, 80 percent; year 8, 70 percent; year 9, 60 percent; year 10, 50 percent.

-- The owner will make the following annual payments to Parmer County starting in 2015: years 1 through 5, \$2,000 per megawatt; year 6, \$1,500 per megawatt; year 7, \$1,250 per megawatt; year 8, \$1,000 per megawatt; year 9, \$750 per megawatt; and year 10, \$500 per megawatt.

As an example, assuming its year 6 for the 200-megawatt project, the payment to the county that year would be 200 x \$1,500 = \$300,000.

At the last county commissioners meeting, James Scott, of Scatex Energy, said the only holdup to the project is completion of approval for the transmission line, which he expects in February.

Approval is still needed from one landowner in Castro County since the proposed line will connect



to Hereford.

It was noted that the project will give Parmer County a large amount of revenue, but don't expect county taxes to take a significant drop. Here's how Parmer County Judge Trey Ellis explained it:

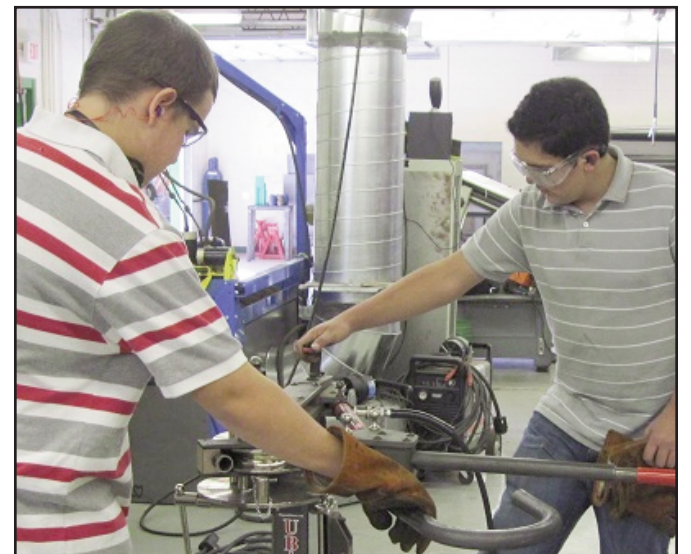
If the county were to decrease taxes significantly and the project went bust, the county could only raise taxes back up by a very small percentage each year. This could cause a major county budget

problem.

The only resident appearing at the public hearing on Monday was John C. Miller, 2058 CR 27, Friona. His property is not within the reinvestment zone. He attended just to find out more information.

The reinvestment zone starts at Friona's southern boundaries (CR 1) all the way to the Deaf Smith County line. The east boundary is Castro County line and the west boundary was CR 13.

Texico Sports Arena gets new hand rails



At left, the Texico School students who helped with the new handrails at the Sports Arena, from left starting at bottom and going up: Matthew McWhorter, Dalton Wren, Tristan Lockmiller, Mark Hughes, Colton Autrey, Tyler McCoy, Kyler Miller, Jason Tuls, Justin Garza, Josh Davis, Cody Widner, Canyon Scarborough, Miguel Reyna, Paden Hagler, Carlos Silva, Kendall Naceanceno (hidden), Justin Jenkins, Braxton Dow, Blake Williams, Aaron Massey, Brooks Hagler, Arnulfo deAnda, Mason Grau, Jarron Faircloth, Dalton Griego, Rallin Harris, Elliot Pelfrey, Eric Palaia. Above, Eric Palaia and Matthew McWhorter bend round tubing to make the handrails for the Sports Arena steps.

Texico students at work



Jaron Hill uses the wood lathe to create baseball bats he can use to practice with.



Jake Barnett and Hunter Hughes create a work bench from old lumber from the gym bleachers and a child's playhouse. The bench will be used to set the shops' two miter saws on for cutting lumber. Photos by Terry Whitener



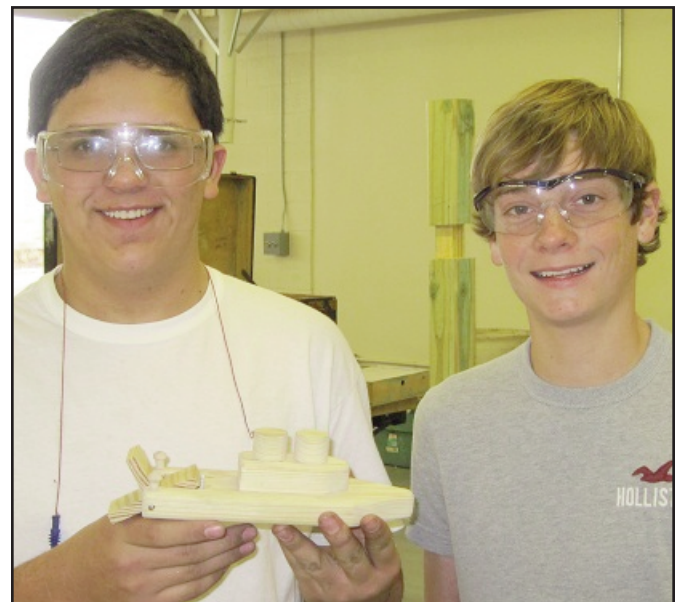
Braxton Dow and Justin Jenkins show the work that they and Kendall Naceanceno created. The hangars, made of 3/8" steel rod, will be used to store the vocational ag shop's leather welding jackets.



Aaron Massey studies proper shop equipment maintenance procedures as he services a MIG welder.



Gabby Posada and Kyla Myers work to create step stools for the children at the pre-school. The step-stools will help the youngsters reach the sink easier for handwashing.



Matthew McWhorter and Tyler Bridges made wooden toys to be donated to the Wilbur Ellis FFA auction in February.

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Just Passing Through
WILL ANDERSON

This is a continuation of last week's column on nullification -- the fact that a state is only pledged to follow the U.S. Constitution

Based on that, each state retains the right to "nullify" any measure passed by Congress inside its own borders if that particular measure violates the Constitution.

If by political means, an act or decree demands the confiscation of weapons now legally held by law-abiding citizens (who, should they refuse, would immediately become criminals with the stroke of the president's pen), a large number of states will simply refuse to enforce that federal statute inside their own borders on their own citizens.

Each of these states will do so because any alteration to the 2nd

Amendment not by Constitutional procedures is thus unconstitutional, as will be the enforcement measures taken by any state.

That nullification stands on solid ground, particularly in comparison with the nullification acts of the Sanctuary Cities that the Federal government has refused to confront for years.

If it comes down to it, Texas nullification of unconstitutional Federal actions for gun control is certain, and given the number of law-abiding citizens who own firearms in New Mexico, there is a good chance that state may pronounce its own nullification as well.

The year 2013 is going to be a fascinating year for the Republic, the bad along with the good. It

will be high drama if the states that declare nullification of a gun control statute or decree will be threatened with the dispatch of armies.

If so, it will be excruciating to see the choice that is thrust on the sons of Texas and New Mexico in military service -- loyalty to the Constitution or obedience to the orders their units may receive to deploy against their home state.

And it will be particularly amusing if President Obama determines to follow the example of Washington and Jackson, donning a uniform and a sword, and as Commander in Chief leading an American military force into action atop an Abrams tank.

More on our Constitution next week...

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FHS scholars given

Here are the 3rd six weeks honor rolls for Farwell High School:
Freshman
Principal: Adrian Aleman, Fredi Cecena, Otho Gonzalez, Cambree Haseloff, Brenna Jarman, Brayden Johnson, Lydia Mitchell.

Steer: Regan Agee, Armando Arevalo, Sidney Barksdale, Katy Carpenter, Angel Graxiola, Madison Griswold, Cameron Hardwick, Clint Hurst, Keith Kalbas, Koby Larsen, Gerardo Martinez, Raquel Morales, Jose Sotelo.

Sophomores
Principal: Trevor Schilling.
Steer: Andres Graxiola, Curt Langford, Mitchell Ratke.
Juniors
Principal: Savanna Barksdale, Lauren Carpenter, K'Leigh White, Zachary Dale, JR Isaacson, Kelsey Knight, Austin Mason, Janae McClaran, Gabi Schilling, Taylor Stancell.
Steer: Seth Chilton, Hunter Hall.
Seniors

Principal: Chandler Barnes, Chelsea Bass, Lydia Gomez, Collin Christian, Hayden Hadley, Nallely Maldonado, Luis Galvan, Cassidy Martin, Kolten Morris, Kathya Saenz, Olivia Schilling, Elizabeth Pereda, Caitlyn Stancell.
Steer: Alex Armstrong, Kayla Cullison, Josh Troglia.

Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County clerk's office last week recorded the following warranty deeds:

- Travis Friesen - South Plains Ag, S24 Doud & Keifer.
- John Stewart Estate - Olen Cole, L27 E114' L28-32 B2 Farwell.
- Matthew Bohler - Elvira Muniz, Part L14-15 All L6 B43 Farwell.
- Ricky Coleman - Matthew Williams, L23-25 B42 Farwell.
- Wanda Reeve - Rachel Stevenson, L1-3 B33 Farwell.
- Tyra Talley - Megan Evans, L3 B3 Staley Addition #3.

Farwell Meal Site

Monday - closed.
Tuesday - shepherd's pie, steamed veggies, salad, rolls, peach cobbler.
Wednesday - chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, rolls, Jello with fruit.
Thursday - pizza, garden salad, veggie sticks with dip, chocolate chip cookies.
Friday - salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, fruit salad, rolls.
Seniors over 55, \$4.00; all take-outs, 50 cents extra; guests under 55, \$6.50. Delivery is 50¢.

Texico Tip-off Tournament

Texico is planning our second annual TEXICO TIP-OFF elementary basketball tournament. The date is set for Feb. 22 and 23.

There will be six different divisions.

- Pee-Wee (1st & 2nd grade) girls
- Junior (3rd & 4th grade) girls
- Senior (5th & 6th grade) girls
- Pee-Wee (1st & 2nd grade) boys
- Junior (3rd & 4th grade) boys
- Senior (5th & 6th grade) boys

Tournament Information:

- All tournament games will be officiated by NMAA certified referees.
- Pee-Wee games will be played on 8 ft. goals. Junior and Senior games will be played on 10 ft. goals.
- Senior boys will use a standard boys' ball, all others will use a standard girls' ball.
- Entry fee is \$100 per team.
- Entry forms can be emailed to Nikki McDermid at Texicobasketball@gmail.com. Entry fees can be mailed to: Texico Tip-Off c/o Nikki McDermid, PO Box 426 Texico, NM 88135. Entries are not final until a full roster with player numbers is received. Entry fees are non-refundable.
- Reversible jerseys (light and dark) with numbers on both front and back are preferred.
- Gate admission fees are \$3 for adults and \$1 for students each day of the tournament. ONLY players and coach on roster get in free.
- There will be a full concession available.
- Teams are guaranteed two games. However, this is NOT a double elimination tournament.
- Texico Tip-Off Tournament Members, Texico Booster Club and Texico Schools are not responsible for accidents, injuries, and/or theft of personal belongings.

TEAM NAME _____
COACH'S NAME _____ AVAIL TO PLAY GAMES ON FRIDAY ___ YES ___ NO
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All entries are due by Feb. 19. Rosters with players' names and numbers are also due by Feb. 19. No substitutions or additions may be made after this date.
If there are any questions or concerns, please call: Nikki McDermid (575) 799-1817 or Randy Harrison (575) 799-1143.

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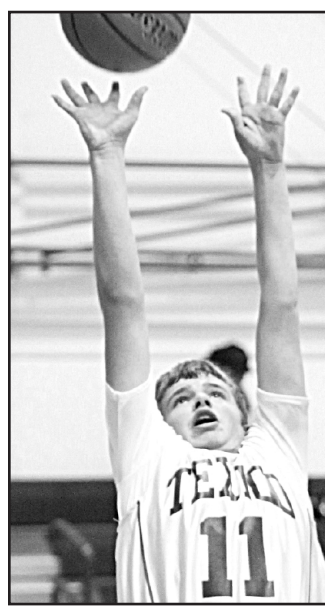
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Texico 7th in action



Tax levy

From page 1

equipment.

3. There is a state match for every \$1 the 2 mills generate. Texico Schools will receive a percentage of state funds generated through a state formula based on the money generated through the 2-mill levy.

The 2-mill levy must also be in place for the state to allocate extra state funding for buildings. The previous 2-mill was a huge part of the recent building projects at our school.

With the 2-mill in place, it continues to meet state requirements on future building projects and helps with additional dollars allocated by the state to be leveraged.

If you have questions, please contact our school at 482-3801 for clarification.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,
 After the horrendous school tragedy that occurred in Newtown, Conn., my top priority is the safety of all students and staffers at Farwell Schools.

We have re-evaluated all emergency procedures at our campuses. Our campus principals will review them with faculty and students.

On Jan. 23, we held a Crisis Planning Meeting with 20 people attending including teachers, administrators, police, firefighters and EMS.

This meeting proved invaluable to "brainstorm" procedures we have in place and see how we can improve in order to continue to keep our schools safe.

We will continue to communicate with our emergency service organizations in Farwell and Parmer County to ensure we have plans in place to deal with any issue that comes up.

As a rule, training and drills are required to deal with several different scenarios. The following are required for every FISD campus: (1) fire and/or evacuation procedures; (2) campus lockdown; (3) shelter in place; (4) severe weather procedures, and (5) site evacuation.

We still have the goal to make our campuses as welcoming as possible to parents, community members, and other guests who come to our school to support our children and teachers. I definitely want to encourage more of that.

The challenge is to balance that welcoming campus atmosphere with the need and requirement to keep all our children (and all others) SAFE!

I thank everyone for their support of our children in Farwell. I also invite suggestions on how to better secure our schools. Any and all assistance with making our schools safer is greatly appreciated.

Mike Read, Superintendent
 mread@farwellschools.org

Dear Editor

Just a quick note to publicly thank the Parmer County Commissioners for having the courthouse elms trimmed.

Since its construction in 1916, the courthouse has been a place of pride for Farwell and its presence would not be the same without the elm trees. From impromptu weddings to Border Town Days, the courthouse lawn has been the stage for many enjoyable events, each made more beautiful and more enjoyable by this stand of trees.

It has long been a fear of mine that due to age, the trees would be removed in an effort to reduce care costs and possible damages, but with the commissioners' commitment to proper pruning, these trees can expect many more years of health, providing the citizens of Parmer County with continued enjoyment.

Thanks again guys!
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Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

DeeDee and I enjoy watching drama shows (with a sense of humor) on TV.

One of our favorites is "Grey's Anatomy," a show that features doctors working at a hospital in Seattle.

While I enjoy watching medical shows, I always silently smile at how patients stay at length in hospitals without seem-

ingly to have a care in the world about the bottom line -- the cost.

I thought I would come up with a screen play for submission to that show. It would go something like this:

Dr. Derek "McDreamy" Shepherd would tell his hospital patient the good news: he would be able to operate on the brain tumor and save the man's life.

Isn't that super!

Then, Dr. Shepherd says something like, "Oh, by the way, the complicated surgery, since it involves other physicians and nurses and will take almost a full day plus recovery, will cost you about \$350,000. Any prob-

lem with that?"

"But I don't have that kind of money," responds the patient. "I'm just a working class guy trying to make ends meet. I have some insurance but it doesn't go anywhere that much."

"Well," Dr. Shepherd responds, "That's okay. Pay what you can, the rest is on us."

As Dr. Shepherd leaves the private hospital room, he turns and says, "I almost forgot. You have been at the hospital for the past week while we ran tests. There's a cost there, but, what the hay, it's on the house."

Well, folks, do you think my screenplay has any chance of making it?

I hope all Texico School District residents read the article on Page 1 from Supt. Miles Mitchell.

This is a no-brainer. Vote YES for the 2-mill levy.

I realize that when I write about President Obama's administration I come across as negative.

I am -- when it deals with the economy and future of our nation.

I will fully credit him when he does something I feel good about.

For example, his decision on improving the status of some illegal immigrants was good. Especially since there is no "right" decision on this topic.

I also thought Mr. Obama handled the Libyan crisis well when Ghaddafi was overthrown. Ditto for the current situation in Syria.

It's easy to get sucked into a new war and Mr. Obama has avoided that.

Excellent.

So, I am more than will-

ing to give the current administration credit when I so deem.

But the long-range success of our nation will not happen if a liberal economic philosophy is followed.

What exasperates me is that it is so obvious, and, frankly, the majority of Americans don't give a rip.

And Mr. Obama apparently doesn't either.

Returning to the topic of healthcare, I saw another story last week about a man committing a crime so he would be jailed, thus getting the free health care he needed.

Yes, this happens more than we want to believe. If you can't afford important health care, you commit a crime and get it for free.

Another wave of the future.

I see the FBI is investigating a Democrat senator from New Jersey about allegations he had sex with underage girls in the Dominican Republic.

I want to state right now that I do NOT believe that every U.S. congressman is unethical and/or a criminal.

Of the 532 congressmen, I probably would not put over one-third in those categories.

Makes you proud to be an American.

Here's a reason quote by British Prime Minister David Cameron at a economic meeting in Europe:

He told business leaders that the only way for countries to compete was to "deal with your debts, cut business taxes and tackle the bloat in welfare."

Would you agree with me that the U.S. is 0-3 for those?

Louisiana Gov. Bobby Jindal, speaking at the Republican National Committee's winter meeting, said the GOP has to "stop being the stupid party."

Over the years, I have used the term "arrogant," which I think fits the bill better than "stupid."

There have been exceptions to that rule, especial-

ly with Newt Gingrich's Contract with America. And choosing Eisenhower as the presidential candidate in 1952 over conservative Robert Taft.

But until the GOP understands how demographics are changing in the U.S., they will not recapture the presidency.

I am sick and tired of reading that Romney lost his race because the Democrats did a better job of getting out their message and getting more voters to the polls, etc.

No, no, no. Those are just stupid excuses.

The GOP has to expand its base. Period.

Texico is #1

Last week's basketball polls show the Texico Lady Wolverines, 8-5 on the year, as No. 1 in Class 2A.

The Wolverines, 10-3, are ranked No. 4.



Belcher shows Grand Champion

Madison Belcher, a 7th grader at Texico Junior High, won Grand Champion Market Goat at the National Western Stock Show in Denver. She also won Reserve Champion Junior Showmanship. She is pictured with her mom, Elizabeth, her brother, Truman, her dad, Matt, and her cousin, Katie.



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TEXAS' LARGEST RURAL LENDER

The Latest

Texico Schools Homecoming Spirit days are the week of Feb. 4.

Dress-up days for this year are:

- Monday – Pajama Day
- Tuesday – Celebrate a Decade Day
- Wednesday – Dress like a Celebrity or Cartoon Character Day
- Thursday – Green and White Day

Farwell School Supt. Mike Read was hospitalized at Covenant Heart Hospital in Lubbock over the weekend.

Farwell High's CX Debate team of Savanna Barksdale and Hunter Hall took 1st place in the Midland Tourney last weekend.

Sidney Barksdale won 1st in prose at her first TFA Torney. It was open to entrants in Classes 1A through 5A.

The District CX Debate contest will be Feb. 7 at Sudan, with Hill and Barksdale entered.

The Farwell High yearbook has named the following:

- Most athletic - Alexa Mora and Kolten Morris.
- Most creative - Madison Rudd and Chase Meyer.
- Most school spirited - Kathya Saenz and Trevor Schilling.
- Most stylish - Olivia Schilling and John Ryan Isaacson.

The 5th-6th Little Raiders won the Melrose Tournament.

Playing for the team are Baylee Sours, Mari Ferrell, Jasmine Davalos, Montana Thatcher, Nallely Ramirez, Katey White, Mariah Reyna and Riley Thompson.

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday agreed to hire the Clovis CPA firm that Kirkland, Kirkland CPA joined last year to do the annual audit.

Lazbuddie High's Jared Timms was named to the Lubbock newspaper's All-South Plains football team as a safety.

He recorded 114 tackles during the season.

Texas has a publication called "Property Taxpayer Remedies," a reference guide about property tax basics and provides a guide on preparing for a protest hearing and what they can do if they are dissatisfied with an appraisal review board's decision.

It's available at the Parmer County Appraisal District office in Bovina.

State pleased with Senior Citizen site

The Texico City Council on Jan. 22 heard that the state sent folks to assess the Senior Citizens Center in Texico. Overall they were pleased with the amenities offered to seniors in town and the city was praised for their client files.

They offered a few recommendations to help get state and federal funding.

Some of the things they asked for included:

- Having the city write a job description for the site manager.
- Making a name tag for folks who do housekeeping for seniors in the community.
- Form a grievance policy for complaints.
- Form a policy for dismissing members and a code of conduct.
- Training programs for colunteers.
- Two fire drills per year, and a fire inspection once a year, with emergency procedures posted.

In other news, the council:

- Looked at the 6-month financial report for the city. City Clerk Carolyn Johnson said that gross receipts, property taxes and motor vehicle taxes were all lower than anticipated, leading to the city being over budget.
- Discussed raising garbage rates 50 cents a month. The increase had been approved last summer but had not been implemented yet.
- Heard that the last lawsuit against the Ute Water Project has been dropped clearing a path to begin construction.
- Discussed passing a resolution to keep Lesser Prairie Chickens off of the endangered species list.

Prairie chickens aren't plentiful around here, but could become a headache for farmers, ranchers, and potential wind energy programs.

Head that the Curry County DWI taskforce will put up a large billboard featuring a Texico police vehicle and a city officer.

- Discussed using highway co-op money to resurface city streets. Johnson said this year it might be parts of many different city streets, but she is looking at options.
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Johnson said the city income historically increases after the first of the year, so a budget shortfall was expected.

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Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geris:

On Jan. 24, W.T. Brown, 72, of Clovis was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

On Jan. 24, Luvenia Pearson Jr., 71, of Farwell, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI, pending county court.

On Jan. 24, Christopher Mitchell, 20, of Lubbock, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of criminal trespass and theft of property between \$500 and \$1,500, pending county court.

On Jan. 24, Krystal Torres, 21, of Lubbock, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of criminal trespass and theft of property between \$500 and \$1,500, pending county court.

On Jan. 24, Bennie Joe Ramos 19, of Lubbock, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of criminal trespass and theft of property between \$500 and \$1,500, pending county court.

On Jan. 25, Mario Escalona, 31, of McQueeney, Texas, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of probation violation (assault enhanced), pending District Court.

On Jan. 26, Ismael Rocha Jr., 18, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a motion to revoke (DWI - assault), pending county court.

On Jan. 27, Maria Herrera, 25, of Friona, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI with child under 15, pending grand jury.

On Jan. 27, Shiela Carter, 49, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of unlawfully carrying a weapon, pending county court.

In the 287th District Court, on Jan. 22, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

Nancy Pierce, 52, of Friona, charged with violation of community supervision (possession of a controlled substance), was sentenced to community supervision revoked, 16 months State Jail Division and \$572 court costs.

Beauchamp elected

Mike Beauchamp, of Friona, was elected secretary-treasurer for the High Plains Water District board.

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Lots more basketball:

Lazbuddie -- Varsity & JV teams play at Cotton Center on Feb. 1, then host Hart on Feb. 5. JH teams host Elida, N.M., on Feb. 4.

Texico -- Varsity & JV teams play at Santa Rosa (District openers) on Feb. 1; then host Tucumcari on Feb. 2; then host Portales on Feb. 5. "C" Boys play at Portales Feb. 5. "C" Girls host Dora Feb. 5. 8th grade teams play in Friendship Tournament Feb. 7-9 -- girls here, boys there.

Farwell -- Varsity & JV teams play at Springlake-Earth on Feb. 1, then host Sudan on Feb. 5. The JH teams end their season on Feb. 4 against Sudan -- the girls' teams play there, and the boys' teams at home.

Bovina -- Varsity & JV teams host Morton on Feb. 1, then host Vega on Feb. 5. The Middle School schedule has been completed.

Bovina powerlifters participate at Dalhart on Feb. 2.

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Texico 7th girls win Farwell Tourney

Varsity Boys
The Texico Wolverines fell to Portales on Jan. 25, 66-63.
Scoring were Justin Rucker, 5; Gentry Doolittle, 9; Kendall Naceanceno, 4; Jonah Walls, 10; Miguel Reyna, 28; D.J. Griego, 7.

The next night, Texico put away Eunice, 74-61.
Scoring were Walls and John Myers, 4 each; Griego, 8; Mitchell Pinnell, 10; Carlos Silva, 2; Doolittle and Rallin Harris, 6 each; Reyna, 18; Rucker, 3; Naceanceno, 13.
Texico was 11-5 after this game.

Varsity Girls
On Jan. 25, the Lady Wolverines lost to Portales, 45-24.
Scoring were Chasity Sharp, Mel Lucero and Shelby Vannatta, 2 each; McKenzi Mayfield, 5; Rae Lynn Prather and Brianna Reyna, 6 each.

Texico rebounded on Jan. 26 with a 48-23 slicing of Eunice.
Scoring were Vannatta, 1; Sarah Daniels, 3; Lindsey Foote, 4; Mayfield, 9; Lucero, 7; Prather, 6 Reyna, 16; Taylor Stephens, 2.
Texico was 10-6 on the season after this game.

8th Boys
Texico's 8th grade boys doubled up on Elida, 45-21.
Scoring were Lance Myers, 7; Mason Golden, 20; Andres Rodriguez and Zach Andrews, 2 each; Devin Guss, 10; Michael Hill, 4.

Texico trounced Tucumcari, 55-15.
Scoring were Myers, 12; Hayden Hughes, 2; Guss, 4;

Jackson Tuls, 2; Hill, 6; Koltlen Wines, 5; Rodriguez, 4; Golden, 20.
8th Girls
Texico's 8th grade girls lost to Elida, 24-20.
Scoring were Jaden Stephens, 2; Isela Bravo, 4; Whitney Skabelund, 4; Jasmin Gannon, 9; Tristyn McDaniel, 1.

Texico beat back Clovis Christian, 42-12.
Scoring were Mel Davalos, 1; Stephens, Hannah Hughes and Cassie Colton, 2 each; Micah Pinnell, 1; Skabelund and McDaniel, 4 each; Maddie Sealey, 8; Gannon, 15.

Texico beat Tucumcari, 30-25.
Scoring were Stephens, 11; Bravo, 6; Gannon, 10; Sealey, 3.

JV Boys
Texico's JV Boys ran over Fort Sumner, 48-24.
Scoring were Justin Rucker, 12; Dalton Wren, 13; Juan Estrada, 4; Ramon Garcia and Jonah Tuls, 2 each; Miles Grau, 10; Rafael Maldonado, 5.

Texico lost to Portales, 66-43.

Scoring were Wren, 11; Tristan Lockmiller, 2; Maldonado, 5; Grau, 4; Ramon Garcia, 3; Estrada, 8; Rucker, 10.

Texico lost to Eunice, 55-37.
Scoring were Rucker, 13; Grau, 7; Dylan Sharp, 1; Lockmiller, 13; Wren, 3.

"C" Boys
Texico's "C" Boys lost to Portales "C", 57-35.
Scoring were Tristan Lockmiller, 18; Joseph Sena and Dylan Sharp, 2 each; Regan Tongate, 3; Ramon Garcia, 4; Rafael Maldonado, 6.

Texico's "C" team beat Muleshoe, 34-28.
Scoring were Garcia, Luke Spears, Tongate and Sharp, 2 each; Lockmiller, 12; Jonah Tuls, 5; Maldonado, 9.

JV Girls
Texico's JV Girls got tipped by Fort Sumner, 30-28.
Scoring were Sarah Daniels, Audrey Wren, Chyanne Scarborough, Taylor Stephens, Breanna Douma, 2 each; Shelby Vannatta, 6; Arianna Meza, 8; Emily Hodnett, 4.

They beat Eunice, 31-22.
Scoring were Daniels, 4; Cassidy Downing, 2; Sharp, 10; Wren, 3; Scarborough, 4; Stephens, 10 (including a pair of 3-pointers); Douma, 5; Haiee Prather, 7; Shaylee Sours, 4.

Texico lost to Portales, 32-14.
Scoring were Sharp, Vannatta and Wren, 2 each; Meza, 4; Stephens, 3; Scarborough, 1.

On Monday, Texico trounced Lovington, 39-19.
Scoring were Sours, Douma, Meza and Emily Logan, 2 each; Daniels, 12; Downing and Sharp, 5 each; Wren and Scarborough, 4 each; Prather, 1.

"C" Girls
Texico's "C" Girls put away Portales, 26-22.
Scoring were Cassidy Downing, 1; Taylor Stephens, 6; Arianna Meza, 12; Breanna Douma, 5; Shaylee Sours, 2.

7th Boys
Texico's 7th grade boys sped by Tucumcari, 45-26.
Scoring were Paden McDermid, 3; Ben Crist and Brock Thompson, 6 each;

Farwell
Monday - grilled chicken, steamed broccoli, rice, apple slices, crackers, milk.
Tuesday - chicken quesadilla, pinto beans, carrots, orange smiles, milk.
Wednesday - taco salad, seasoned corn, fruit bowl, milk.
Thursday - steak fingers, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, pineapple tidbits, roll, milk.
Friday - pizza, garden salad, veggie dippers, mixed fruit, milk.

Texico
Monday - homemade bean & cheese burrito, corn, LT, salsa, fruit, milk.
Tuesday - beef stew with potatoes, carrots, mixed veggies, garden salad, bread sticks, fruit, milk.
Wednesday - country steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, fruit, milk.
Thursday - grilled chicken patty on bun, LP, fire fries, apple, milk.
Friday - no school.

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They wiped out Yucca, 43-2.
Scoring were Sarah Naceanceno, 14; Nathan Phipps, 10.

In the Farwell Tourney, Texico trounced Yucca, 49-29.
Scoring were McDermid, 15; Phipps, 22; Clayton Autrey, 2; Wines, 2; Thompson, 6.
And Texico lost to Farwell, 34-20.
Scoring were McDermid and Crist, 3 each; Wines, 1; Naceanceno, 6; Phipps, 5; Christian Fontanilla, 2.

7th Girls
Texico's 7th grade girls won the Farwell Tournament.

Parmer County Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from October 1, 2012, to December 31, 2012, inclusive:

Jury Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	54,712.23
Amount Received Since Last Report	59,470.56
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	992.00
12/31/12 Balance	113,190.79
General Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	659,633.70
Amount Received Since Last Report	2,133,632.79
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	764,157.17
12/31/12 Balance	2,029,109.32
Farm to Market Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	814,817.65
Amount Received Since Last Report	179,453.39
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	271,335.87
12/31/12 Balance	722,935.17
Right of Way Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	52,570.24
Amount Received Since Last Report	69,218.39
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	0.00
12/31/12 Balance	121,788.63
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	41,667.17
Amount Received Since Last Report	107.41
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	0.00
12/31/12 Balance	41,774.58
Permanent Improvement Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	37,542.40
Amount Received Since Last Report	33,451.90
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	0.00
12/31/12 Balance	70,994.30
Revenue Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	75,757.67
Amount Received Since Last Report	36,998.90
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	27,356.97
12/31/12 Balance	85,399.60
Juvenile Probation Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	3,005.18
Amount Received Since Last Report	61.84
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	0.00
12/31/12 Balance	3,067.02
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	25,992.19
Amount Received Since Last Report	3,590.29
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	2,362.78
12/31/12 Balance	27,219.70
District Check Collection - 287th Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	5,840.47
Amount Received Since Last Report	4,869.23
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	4,822.52
12/31/12 Balance	5,887.18
District Attorney Forfeiture Fund	
Balance Last Report, File September 30, 2012	19,651.92
Amount Received Since Last Report	95.50
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	3,800.00
12/31/12 Balance	15,947.42
County Attorney Forfeiture Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	7,103.41
Amount Received Since Last Report	18.30
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	0.00
12/31/12 Balance	7,121.71
Interest & Sinking Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	124,479.83
Amount Received Since Last Report	38,803.68
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	0.00
12/31/12 Balance	163,283.51
Lateral Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	0.00
Amount Received Since Last Report	30,711.91
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	30,711.91
12/31/12 Balance	0.00
Parmer County Attorney Pretrial Diversion Fund	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2012	1,708.07
Amount Received Since Last Report	2,353.30
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report	2,226.37
12/31/12 Balance	1,835.00
Recapitulation	
JURY FUND	113,190.79
GENERAL FUND	2,029,109.32
FARM TO MARKET FUND	722,935.17
RIGHT OF WAY FUND	121,788.63
PARMER COUNTY FORFEITURE FUND	41,774.58
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND	70,994.30
REVENUE FUND	85,399.60
JUVENILE PROBATION FUND	3,067.02
COUNTY ATTY - CHECK COLLECTION FUND	27,219.70
DISTRICT CHECK COLLECTION - 287TH FUND	5,887.18
DISTRICT ATTORNEY FORFEITURE FUND	15,947.42
COUNTY ATTORNEY FORFEITURE FUND	7,121.71
INTEREST & SINKING FUND	163,283.51
LATERAL FUND	0.00
PARMER COUNTY ATTY PRETRIAL DIVERSION	1,835.00
TOTAL	3,409,553.93

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.
Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 28th day of January 2013.
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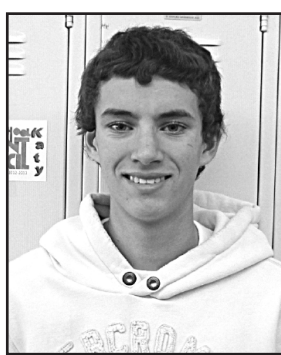


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3 bedroom, 2 bath nice brick home on 2.4 acres northeast of Farwell. Fireplace, central heat, refrigerated geo-thermal system. Large quonset barn.

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Large brick country home on 2.6 acres north of Lazbuddie on highway. 5 bedroom, 3 bath, central heat, ref. air. Lots of recent remodeling, large 50'x100' metal barn. On highway.

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620 acres SW of Lariat. 110 tower Zimmatic sprinkler with 7 wells.

252 acres of irrigated land northeast of Farwell with 2 wells and 2 circle sprinklers.

1685 +/- acres irr. near Lazbuddie. 10 circles, 12 wells, on highway.

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Bovina Area Listings

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Bailey County -- 1,140 acres of recreational property with an income stream. 767 acres in C.R.P. Nine years remaining on contract. Mule deer, dove, pheasant and quail. Some improvements.

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Timms, Ivy pace Longhorns win

Varsity Boys
The Longhorns beat Anton JV, 52-27, on Friday.
Scoring were Jared Timms, 22; Haldon Ivy, 15; Alex Lopez, 9; Juan Murillo, 5; Albert Solano, 1.

Coach Coltrane said Eric Villescuz did a great job off the bench, playing in his only second basketball game ever. He played the entire second half and had several rebounds, an assist and did not turn the ball over.

Varsity Girls
The Lady Longhorns lost to Anton, 50-46.
Scoring were Autumn Townsend and Jessica

Estrada, 2 each; Shyann Rainey, 12; Ashton Mason, 9; Maysun Hester and Lacey Jesko, 5 each; Allison Weaver, 3; Shea Scott, 8.

JV Girls
The JV Girls lost to Anton, 42-13.
Scoring were Haley Ivy and Baylee Ruthardt, 2 each; Iridian Fernandez and Lindsey Capers, 4 each; Kennedi Nickels, 1.

JH Girls
On Monday, the JH girls fell to Whitharral, 22-18.
Scoring were Mattisun Hester, 10; Devon Pacheco, 5; Karsyn Youngblood, 3.

Farwell 7th Boys win Farwell Tourney

Varsity Boys
On Jan. 22, the Farwell Steers put away Hale Center, 50-35.
Scoring were Austin Mason, 14 (with four 3-pointers); Kolten Morris, 14; Curt Langford, 10; Collin Christian, 5; Ruben Gutierrez, 5; Luis Galvan, 2.

On Jan. 25, the Steers lost to Morton, 71-55.
Scoring were Langford, 16; Morris, 12; Gutierrez, 8; Mason, 8; Christian, 6; and Angel Graxiola, 5.
The Steers were 21-4 overall and 3-1 in District after this game. Morton was 4-0 in District.

Varsity Girls
The Lady Blue nipped Hale Center, 33-32.
Scoring were Jenna Kirkland and Skylar Chadwick, 2 each; Sasha Lara and Brenna Jarman, 4 each; Taylor Stancell, 5; and K'Leigh Jo White, 16.

Farwell beat back Morton, 47-34, on Jan. 25.
Scoring were Ami Favila, 1; Caitlyn Stancell and Chadwick, 9 each; Taylor Stancell and Kirkland, 6 each; White, 13; Chandler Barnes, 3; Taylor
The Lady Blue were 13-14 overall and 3-2 in District after this game.
Farwell has a good chance at the playoffs with 3 games to go.

8th Boys
Farwell's 8th grade

boys kayoed Springlake-Earth on Monday, 48-14.
Scoring were Cameron Bass, 3; Heath Hadley, 2; Isaiah Benoit, 5; Jace Perkins, 20; Omar Soto, 12; Dakota Meeks, 4.

JV Boys
Farwell's JV Boys nipped Hale Center, 49-28.
Scoring were A.J. Bermea, Gerardo Martinez and Erick Tovar, 4 each; Andrew Michalski, 1; Oscar Munoz, 12; Federico Solis, 5; Pedro Ruiz, 2; Christian Pena, 17.

7th Boys
The 7th grade boys won their opener of the Farwell Tourney with a 60-33 win over Yucca.
Scoring were Romeo Reyes, 6; Lee Roy Cervantes, 21; Ethan Stancell, 14; Brendan Baker, 5; River Hall, 8; Tannar Chadwick, 2; Jay Teachout, 4.
And Farwell beat Texico, 34-20, to win the tourney championship.
Scoring were Teachout and Baker, 6 each; Reyes, 1; Cervantes, 12; Stancell and Hall, 2 each; Chadwick, 5.

On Monday, Farwell put away Springlake-Earth, 57-6.
Scoring were Reyes, 2; Cervantes, 6; Brandon Galvan, 3; Stancell, 17; Baker, 7; Hall, 8; Chadwick, 4; Oscar Rodriguez, 5.

JV Girls
Farwell's girls beat

Hale Center, 51-32.
Scoring were Stephanie Tercero, 15; Katy Carpenter, 10; Braydon Johnson, 2; Cambree Haseloff, 8; Emily Stancell, 6; Marissa Lopez, 4; Caddisy Devault, 6.
outscored Springlake-Earth, 24-10.
Scoring were Hope Herrera, 6; Andrea Chavez, 8; Talor Gonzalez, 6; Alexis Olmos and Carley Johnson, 2 each.

8th Girls
Farwell's girls raced past Springlake-Earth on Monday, 39-16.
Scoring were Edie White, 11; Lindsy Coburn, 15; Treylin Griswold and Mallory Schilling, 2 each; Kendal Stancell, 9.

7th Girls
The 7th grade girls



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Tristan Seratt is a Farwell kindergarten. His birthday is March 27. Parents are Shane & Missy Seratt. His sister is Saylor. Grandparents are Richard & Geri Day. He likes swimming, riding his bike and playing soccer. Favorite color is blue. Favorite foods are cooked carrots and cantaloupe. He doesn't like getting up early.
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Jean Skaggs
Jean Skaggs 89, of Texico, died Sunday, Jan. 20, 2013, at the Muleshoe Area Medical Center.
Funeral services were Jan. 22, 2013, at the Advent Christian Church with Gary Skaggs and Sam Walsh officiating. Burial followed at Texico Cemetery. Pallbearers included Michael Skaggs, Curtis Skaggs, Cary Skaggs, Eric Skaggs, Brandon Fennell and Jason Henderson.
Jean was born Dec. 2, 1923, in Clovis to Harvey and Ardie (Stockton) Winkles. She married Paul Skaggs on Sept. 18, 1943, at Pleasant Hill.
Jean was a housewife, helping with the family farm, and a member of the Advent Christian Church. She drove a school bus for the Texico Schools for many years and enjoyed crafts, dominos and needlework.
Surviving are 2 sons, Gary (Lanelle) Skaggs, of Muleshoe; and Randy (Tanya) Skaggs, of Clayton, N.M.; 6 grandchildren; Michael (Lisa) Skaggs, Cary (Jamie) Skaggs, Janna (Brandon) Fennell, Robyn (Jason) Henderson, Curtis (Toni) Skaggs, and Eric (Jessica) Skaggs; 8 great grandchildren, Erin Skaggs, Kristen Skaggs, Amara Fennell, Jackson Henderson, Emma Henderson, Akira Herrera, Jacob Skaggs, Ashlee Skaggs; a brother, Perry (Rada) Winkles; 2 sisters, Dorothy Dudley and Ruth Ann Williams; a sister-in-law, Mary Winkles.
She was preceded by her parents; husband Paul; a son; 3 sisters and 2 brothers.
The family requests memorial contributions be made to the Advent Christian Church 2101 E. 21st Street Clovis, NM 88101
Arrangements have been entrusted to Muffley Funeral Home (575) 762-4435 muffleyfuneralhome.com

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Live Cattle prices jumped up about \$2.00 on Friday's 'bullish' Cattle on Feed Report. The market has some fairly strong resistance around the \$128.50 level which has been test this week. Cash prices have continued to lag far behind the futures price over the last few weeks. Cash prices will need to also see some significant recovery in order to support higher February Live Cattle prices. Most long term trends have turned down technically and price have tested last year's lows and held up to this point. There could have been some important lows made last week which could hold this market and possible support a longer term rally from here. There is usually a retest of the lows before moving higher.
Feeder prices have also seen a significant recovery after the three collapse. Much will depend on the strength in Live Cattle prices as we move forward. Strong resistance lies around the \$150.80 level basis the March contract.
Soybean prices moved back up into a sideways range which has trapped prices over the last couple of weeks. The March contract will need to take out \$14.60 on the top or \$14.15 on the bottom in order to begin a new trend.
Corn prices stopped at strong resistance around the \$7.35 level basis the March contract. A break above this level should push the market back up into their October highs around \$7.67. Prices did see a short term selloff last week and should be near a point to rally back up to retest the \$7.35 area.
Wheat prices pulled back down into short term support levels around the \$8.18 level basis the March KC contract. The market is making an attempt to move back higher, but will most likely need the help from higher corn and bean prices.
Cotton prices finally broke out above their old September highs and the market exploded. It has been almost one and a half years since long term trends turned down. The break above the September highs was enough to turn long term trends back higher for now.
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Carl Parks
Carl J. "June" Parks, 79, of Portales, died Jan. 25, 2013, at University Medical Center in Lubbock.
Services will be held at 1 p.m. Feb. 1, 2013, at The Chapel, 1500 Thornton, Clovis, with Pastors Cathy Bullington and Rick Harris officiating. Burial will follow at Texico Cemetery.
June was born Oct. 7, 1935, to George Washington and Myrtle (Torrax) Parks in Homeny, Okla. He married Verna Hudson June 18, 1960, in Muleshoe.
He worked for the Texico Police Department for 20 years and was a member of the Texico Assembly of God. June loved fishing, hunting, collecting antiques, knives, and, most of all, memories of his family.
Survivors include 3 daughters, Peggy (Kelly) Welch of Clovis; Rhonda (Ronald) Smith of Walnut Grove, Mo., and Vickie Mowles of Florida; 2 sons, Calvin Parks, and Avery (Cindy) Parks of Portales; a sister, Maxine Wolf of Muleshoe; 8 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.
Arrangements have been entrusted to Muffley Funeral Home (575) 762-4435 muffleyfuneralhome.com

Bovina hosts Farwell teams



Photos by Amy Montemayor.



Basketball

From page 12

16. Bovina held S-E scoreless in the first half.

Scoring were Brittany Perez, 5; Itzel Anett, 2; Jessi Ramon, 2; Vanessa Herrera, 2, and Gaby Flores, 5.

Malory DeLaRosa had 5 steals. Perez had 9 rebounds and 4 steals. Herrera had 7 rebounds.

The Fillies lost to Sudan, 39-20.

Scoring were Perez, 5; Flores, 9; Ramon, 4; Mayra Bernal, 2.

Perez led in steals with 3.

JV Boys

Bovina's JV Boys lost to Springlake-Earth, 39-25.

Scoring were Camilo DeLaRosa, 4; Israel Ramirez, 2; Carlos Vaquero, 8; Ivan Ramirez, 8.

PMC sees change in Medicare patient enrollment

Parmer Medical Center (PMC) and Friona Rural Health Clinic are experiencing an increase in patients no longer enrolled in traditional Medicare.

Some patients have enrolled in a Medicare Advantage Plan (MAP).

Some may have chosen a MAP not realizing it was not accepted by the PMC. Others may have opted out of the MAP but the information has not crossed over and they are still listed in the MAP system and not traditional Medicare. Others may not be aware that their plan has been changed to a MAP.

PMC notes that it does not accept MAPs (such as Aetna or Humana) due to cost reimbursement (the way the hospital is paid).

PMC encourages Medicare or Medicare eligible recipients to go online to MyMedicare.gov to check their status or call the hospital at (806) 250-2754.

MAPs offer benefits which differ from the original Medicare and also have different deductibles and co-pay requirements.

A MAP is different from regular Medicare. It is often an HMO or PPO, where your choice of doctors, hospitals, and home health agencies is limited. MAPs also include Private Fee for Service plans. If you sign up for a MAP, you are no longer in the original Medicare payment system.

Also, your physicians and your hospital have to be separately signed up as "providers" under the MAPs for you to be able to use them as an "in-network" provider and get the deductibles and co-pays that the MAP promises.

However, many physicians and hospitals are not signed up as providers, and you may not be able to use them without paying more out-of-pocket than the plan promises. You cannot use the regular original Medicare while you are signed up under a MAP.

Those who have both Medicare and Medicaid may be automatically enrolled in an MAP HMO or PPO. If so, you have the right to choose whether you want to go back to regular Medicare or stay with an HMO or PPO. If you chose to sign up with a Medicare HMO or PPO, you have the right to change back to traditional Medicare.

If you plan to use PMC and/or Friona Rural Health Clinic as your hospital and primary care service, before you sign up for any new plan, contact them to determine whether you can still receive "in-network" services and whether your own out-of-pocket expenses will increase.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

NOTICE OF CANDIDATES AND PRECINCT BOARDS
Texico Municipal School District No. 2
Board Member Positions Nos. 4 and 5
Curry County, New Mexico
Regular Election to be held on February 5, 2013

NOTICIA DE CANDIDATOS Y JUNTAS DE PRECINTO
Escuela Municipal de Texico Distrito No. 2
Miembros de la Junta Posiciones Nos. 4 y 5
Condado de Curry, Nuevo Mexico

Eleccion Regular ocurrira el dia 5 de febrero de 2013

The names of the candidates for election to the Board of Education at the election to be held in the Texico Municipal School District No. 2, Board Member Positions Nos. 4 and 5, Curry County, New Mexico on Tuesday, February 5, 2013 are as follows:

Los nombres de los candidatos para eleccion de la Junta de Educacion en la eleccion que ocurrira en la Escuela Municipal de Texico Distrito Numero 2, Miembros de la Junta Posiciones Nos. 4 y 5, condado de Curry, Nuevo Mexico el martes, dia 5 de febrero de 2013 sera como lo siguiente:

School Board Member Position Number Four
Miembro de la Junta Escolar Posicion Numero Cuatro
Duwan Hill
School Board Member Position Number Five
Miembro de la Junta Escolar Posicion Numero Cinco
Justin L. Barnes

PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TAX QUESTION

"Shall the Board of Education of the Texico Municipal School District No. 2, County of Curry, State of New Mexico, be authorized to impose a property tax of \$2.00 per each \$1000.00 of net taxable value of the property allocated to such District under the Property Tax Code for the property tax years of 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 for the purpose of the following capital improvements in the District, i.e., erecting, remodeling, making additions to, providing equipment for and furnishing school buildings, purchasing or improving school grounds and purchasing equipment and technology for student use in public school programs and classrooms; maintenance of public school buildings and public school grounds exclusive of salary expenses of employees of the District; and purchasing activity vehicles for transporting students to extracurricular school activities?"

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The names of the precinct board members of each polling place are as follows:

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WITNESS MY HAND this January 20, 2013.
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s/s Rosalie L. Riley
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Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Al Ewing Jennings, Deceased, were issued on Jan. 22, 2013, in Cause No. 2946, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Virginia Lucille Jennings.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

% Jeff Actkinson
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 286
Farwell, Texas 79325

Dated the 22nd day of January 2013.

Jeff W. Actkinson
Attorney for Virginia Lucille Jennings
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City of Texico

Notice of variance application

Notice is hereby given that Maria Ramirez and Javier Gaytan have requested a variance be granted concerning the following described property:

613 S. Garwood
Texico, New Mexico
Marshall Addition
Block 9
Lots 14 & 15

The variance is to allow a mobile home to be placed with door not facing the street.

The variance application will be placed on the agenda for the Texico City Council on Feb. 12, 2013, at 6:30 p.m. and said meeting will be held at the Texico City Hall, Texico, NM.

If you are opposed to this variance application you must either (1) mail or deliver your opposition in writing to the Texico City Clerk prior to the date and time herein above designated; or (2) appear before the Texico City Council to state your opposition on the date and time herein above designated.

No explanation for your opposition is necessary. You may print opposed on this letter, sign your name and return to the Clerk's office prior to the deadline.

Failure to take either action 1 or 2 above will be considered as agreement with the request.

The decision of the Council is final and no written or verbal comments received after the date herein designated will be accepted or heard.

Carolyn Johnson, City Clerk

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF PARMER

By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Judicial District Court of PARMER County in the following cases on the 3rd day of January, 2013, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 10:00 A.M. on the 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2013, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said PARMER County, in the City of FARWELL, Texas, the following described property located in PARMER County, to-wit:

Cause No. 10343 PARMER COUNTY VS JACKSON CAROL A

Lot 11, Block 3, Drake's Revised Subdivision, City of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

Cause No. 10346 BOVINA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS LARA ROSENDO JR

The West Twenty-five feet (W 25') of Lot Ten (10), of Block Two (2), of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas

Levied on the 3rd day of January, 2013 as the property of said Defendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus all taxes, penalties, interest, and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and all costs recoverable by law in favor of each jurisdiction.

ALL BIDDERS MUST REGISTER WITH THE TAX OFFICE PRIOR TO SHERIFF'S SALE.

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Torres finishes 3rd at wrestling tourney

Xavier Torres, competed in the 58th annual Tulsa (Okla.) Nationals Wrestling Tournament in January.

He is the son of Joe and Paula Torres, formerly of Bovina, and grandson of Anthony and Judy Ramon, of Bovina.

This tournament is very prestigious and is sometimes called "The Toughest Tournament In The World."

To place in the top 6 is a worthy accomplishment but to place in the top 3 is very special due to the level of competition. More than 2,000 wrestlers entered this year.

Xavier's bracket, Division 4 (105 lbs.), had 24 wrestlers.

In the first round, Xavier beat Hunter Manka from Minnesota, 8-3.

He then beat Karter Kelley, from Oklahoma, from 11-1, and Bohdi Vann, from Oklahoma, 3-0.



Xavier Torres

Xavier won his semi-final match over Joel Shapiro, from Iowa, 5-1.

Xavier lost to Caden Mareno, from Pennsylvania, 8-3 in the title match.

Xavier was then challenged for 2nd place by D.J. Shannon, from Illinois, and lost 2-0 to finish 3rd.



Angel Tree Project deliveries

Students from Bovina's National Honor Society and Student Council deliver gifts and food for their Angel Tree Project. Alex Mejia, Andrew Mejia, Gabriel DeLaRosa, Marco Terrones, Justin Curtis, Heather Miller, Vanessa Rodriguez, Karen Rocha, Front Row-Juan Pinela and Laura Hill. (Photos courtesy of Celia Quintana.)



Justin Curtis, Heather Miller, Vanessa Rodriguez, Karen Rocha, Laura Hill, Andrew Marrufo



Vanessa Rodriguez and Alex Mejia

Our scholars

Here are the Bovina High School 3rd six weeks honor rolls:

All A's

Justus Brozek, Julian Martinez, Heather Miller

A-B

Izel Anett, Kristian Antillon, Andy Carrasco Flores, Aaron Castaneda, Justin Curtis, Gabriel DeLaRosa, Sarah Gallegos, Bryan Garcia, Alejandro Guevara, Blanca Gomez, Cruz Herrera, Yajayra Herrera, Stefon Knoll, Andrew Marrufo, Danny Mejia, Vanessa Ortiz, Juan Pinela, Ivan Ramirez, Janet Reveles, Abel Rocha, Joel Salas, Austin Schlenker, Yukari Vela, David Velo, Roxanne Zalazar.

Semester honor rolls:

All A's

Itzel Anett, Justus Brozek, Andy Carrasco Flores, Justin Curtis, Julian Martinez, Heather Miller, Juan Pinela.

A-B

Kristian Antillon, Aaron Castaneda, Jose Cruz, Gabriel DeLaRosa, Marielena Flores, Sarah Gallegos, Bryan Garcia, Jackie Garcia, Vanessa Garcia, Alejandro Guevara, Blanca Gomez, Cruz Herrera, Yajayra Herrera, Stefon Knoll, Andrew Marrufo, Danny Mejia, Vanessa Ortiz, Ivan Ramirez, Ruby Ramirez, Jessi Ramon, Abdiel Ramos, Janet Reveles, Tamera Rivera, Abel Rocha, Eduardo Salas, Joel Salas, Carmen Sanchez, Jesus Sanchez, Austin Schlenker, Yukari Vela, David Velo, Roxanne Zalazar.

Here are the Bovina Middle School 3rd six weeks honor rolls:

All A's

Gavin Mejia, Ariana Flores.

A-B

Yessenia Avila, Jose Garcia, Jadon Nguyen, Armando Ramirez, Aylin Reveles, Ashley Rocha, Enrique Carrillo, Astrid DeLaCruz, Brenda Flores, Nedra Gallegos, Paulina Mena, Moises Perez, Miguel Rochel, Osvaldo Snyder, Alma Hernandez, Gabriel Gonzales, Daniel Lara.

Bovina Banter

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BHS seniors are selling a coupon book for \$10 containing coupons for places throughout the county. If you are interested in purchasing one, contact any senior or call Deanna at 251-1405.

If you are interested in other means of staying in touch with people from Bovina, there is a great Facebook page called "Hay Hook Line Camp Gang."

It's a good place to find alumni. The folks on this page refer to each other as "hookers" -- an interesting choice of words used in the best context possible in the name of humor.

Stop by this page -- I am sure you will find an old friend or two there.

God bless and have a great week.

Interesting Fact of the Week: 85% of all Valentine's Day cards are purchased by women!
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Laura Hill, Karen Rocha, Heather Miller, and Vanessa Rodriguez.

It's a Boy



Noah Matthew Rocha was born Dec. 27 to Jerry and Tricia Rocha, of

Bovina, at Baptist St. Anthony hospital in Amarillo.

He weighed 8 lbs., 2 oz., and was 19.5 inches long.

His sisters are Heather and Ashley.

His grandparents are Curtis and Shirley Drager, of Friona, and Raymond and Lucy Rocha, of Bovina.

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Parmer County Extension sponsored a concealed handgun course Saturday with 26 folks getting certified.

Benji Henderson, with the Extension office, is already talking about trying to put on another one due to the high interest.

From Aug. 12, 1948:

Mrs. Vernon Ward is helping out at the post office while Mrs. Gene Ezell is on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson took a two-week vacation to Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. H.J. Charles are home after a vacation to Colorado.

Grandma Elliott is visiting her daughter in Odessa.

School lunch menus for next week:

Monday - enchiladas, spanish rice, refried beans, garden salad, cinnamon apples.

Tuesday - hot dog, chili, tater tots, carrot, celery, fresh pears.

Wednesday - toasted cheese, chicken noodle soup, carrots, orange smiles.

Thursday - chicken nuggets, mac and cheese, garden salad, green beans, sliced apples, Rice Krispy treats.

Friday - hamburgers, garnish, baked potato chips, peaches.

In basketball:

Our Varsity and JV teams host Morton on Feb. 1, then host Vega on Feb. 5.

The Middle School schedule has been completed.

Bovina powerlifters participate at Dalhart on Feb. 2.

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Hancock, DeLaRosa, Gomez place 1st

Bovina powerlifters participated in the Highland Park meet on Saturday, competing with 15 other teams. The Mustangs placed 6th as a team. Individual placings were: Gabriel Hancock 1st, Blas Gonzales 6th, Ramiro Carmona 4th, Bernie de La Cruz 5th, Logan Kilpatrick 9th, Efrain Martinez 16th, Leonel

Carrillo 9th, Hector Lopez 11th, Julian Martinez 8th, Camilo De la Rosa, 8th. The Fillies placed 2nd as a team. Individual results were Malory DeLaRosa 1st, Jackie Guevara 3rd, Krystin Gonzales 4th, Ruby Ramirez 3rd, Cynthia Jasso 4th, Jaqueline Garcia 2nd, Andrea Villarreal 5th, Edith Gomez 1st, Brittany Perez 7th.

Mustangs still in State Playoff hunt

Varsity Boys

The Mustangs knocked off Springlake-Earth on Jan. 22, 51-40.

Scoring were Abel Rocha, 24; Andrew Marrufo, 6; David Velo, 2; Joseph Casas, 2; Justin Curtis, 11, and Kristian Antillon, 6.

Rebound leaders were Rocha, 9; Marrufo and

Curtis, 8 each; and Casas, 7.

On Friday, Bovina beat Sudan, 41-36.

Scoring were Rocha, 8; Marrufo, 12; Casas, 9; Curtis, 6; Zac Castillo, 6.

Rocha led in rebounds with 7. Casas had 3 steals.

Varsity Girls

The Fillies lost on Jan. 22 to Springlake-Earth, 74-22.

Scoring were Anabel Lara, 8; Autumn Kilpatrick, 2; Tamara Rivera, 7; Samantha Villarreal, 1; and Edith Gomez, 4.

Gomez led in rebounds with 5.

On Friday, Bovina lost to Sudan, 62-21.

Scoring were Samantha Villarreal, 2; Andrea Villarreal, 4; Lara, 6; Kilpatrick, 2; Gomez, 4; Jackie Guevara, 3.

JV Girls

The JV Girls got tipped by Springlake-Earth, 18-

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Scenes from the St. Ann's Sausage dinner

St. Ann's Catholic Church held its annual Sausage Dinner on Sunday.

The event was extremely successful, serving over 550 people and collecting almost \$5,400 during the dinner. This is over \$1,500 more than last year.

In addition, the group planned to make about 3,750 lbs. of sausage, but actually ended up making 4,200 pounds in order to fill all the pre-orders.

Money raised from this event helps fund church needs and programs during the year.



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